

SENATE RESOLUTION 4

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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Rhedona Rose of Columbia to the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-202, provides for the creation of the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-202, further provides that the Governor shall appoint twenty-two members to the board; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Haslam has appointed Rhedona Rose of Columbia to a term as a board member of the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee representing the 4th Congressional District; Ms. Rose will serve on the board during a term that will expire on May 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Rhedona Rose is the executive vice president of the Tennessee Farm Bureau, an organization she has served for twenty-eight years in policy development and legislative and congressional activities at the State and federal levels; Ms. Rose holds a bachelor's degree from Tennessee Technological University in agricultural science and a master's degree from Texas A&M University in agricultural development; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Rose is a board member of the Maury Alliance and the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry; she has served as a past state president of the Tennessee Future Farmers of America (FFA) Alumni Association, and holds the Honorary American FFA degree and was awarded the National FFA VIP award for distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, Rhedona Rose is a person of integrity and an active citizen whose benevolence, acumen, and strong commitment to public service have helped to enhance the well-being of this State and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-202, provides that each member appointed by the Governor to the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee shall be confirmed by Senate Resolution of the General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that this body does hereby confirm the appointment of Rhedona Rose to the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee for a term to expire on May 31, 2020.